

Record of Committee Proceedings

Joint Committee on Audit

Proposed Audit: Effect of Criminal Court Jurisdiction on 17-year-olds

March 8, 2007

PUBLIC HEARING HELD

Present: (10) Senators Sullivan, Lassa, Decker, A. Lasee and Cowles; Representatives Jeskewitz, Rhoades, Kerkman, Cullen and Parisi.

Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Tamara Grigsby, Milwaukee — Representative, Wisconsin State Assembly
- Deirdre Wilson Garton, Madison — Chair, Governor's Juvenile Justice Commission
- Wendy Henderson, Madison — Wisconsin Council on Children and Families
- Lena Taylor, Milwaukee — Senator, Wisconsin State Senate

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison — State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Kate Wade, Madison — Legislative Audit Bureau
- Susan Crawford, Madison — Executive Assistant, Department of Corrections
- Mark Mertens, Green Bay — Wisconsin County Human Services Association

Registrations For

- Sarah Diedrick Kasdorf, Madison — Wisconsin Counties Association
- Nick Chiarkas — Wisconsin State Public Defender

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

March 8, 2007

EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD

Present: (10) Senators Sullivan, Lassa, Decker, A. Lasee and Cowles; Representatives Jeskewitz, Rhoades, Kerkman, Cullen and Parisi.

Absent: (0) None.

Moved by Representative Cullen, seconded by Senator Cowles that **Proposed Audit: Effect of Criminal Court Jurisdiction on 17-year-olds** be approved according to the scope statement dated March 1, 2007 prepared by the Legislative Audit Bureau with modifications by the committee.

Ayes: (10) Senators Sullivan, Lassa, Decker, A. Lasee and Cowles; Representatives Jeskewitz, Rhoades, Kerkman, Cullen and Parisi.

Noes: (0) None.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 10, Noes 0


Pam Matthews
Committee Clerk

Assembly

Committee Report

The Joint Committee on **Audit**, reports and recommends:

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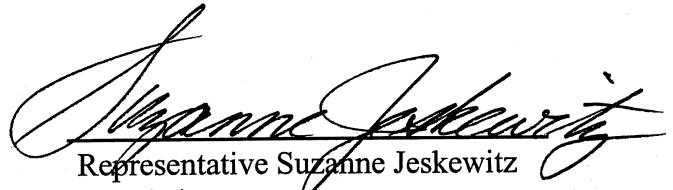
Requested by Senator Sullivan, Representative Jeskewitz and Representative Grigsby.

ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 10, Noes 0

Ayes: (10) Senators Sullivan, Lassa, Decker, A. Lasee and Cowles; Representatives Jeskewitz, Rhoades, Kerkman, Cullen and Parisi.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (0) None.


Representative Suzanne Jeskewitz
Co-Chair

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Follow-up: Audit Report 06-1 and Report 06-2,

Milwaukee County Child Welfare, Department of Health and Family Services (DHFS).

The Committee will also discuss a written status report from DHFS, dated February 1, 2007.

(Invited Speakers Only.)

March 8, 2007

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Absent: (0) None.

Appearances For

- None.

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- Janice Mueller, Madison — State Auditor, Legislative Audit Bureau
- Dean Swenson, Madison — Legislative Audit Bureau
- Kevin Hayden, Madison — Secretary, Department of Health and Family Services (DHFS)
- William Fiss, Madison — Interim Administrator, Division of Children and Family Services, DHFS
- Denise Revels Robinson, Milwaukee — Director, Bureau of Milwaukee Child Welfare, DHFS
- Pastor Archie Ivy, Milwaukee — Chair, Milwaukee Child Welfare Partnership Council

Registrations For

- None.

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

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Pam Matthews
Committee Clerk